

**REMARKS**

Claims 50 - 57 and 60 are pending herein. The claims previously were found to be patentable. Claims 50, 55, 56, and 60 are now rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable under U.S. Patent No. 5,687,717 to Halpern, et al. in light of U.S. Patent No. 5,619,397 to Honda, et al. Halpern was described as showing a movable chassis 12, a substantially horizontal tray (the top surface of the chassis 12), a docking station 20, and a power unit 16. Honda was described as teaching a tiltible docking station.

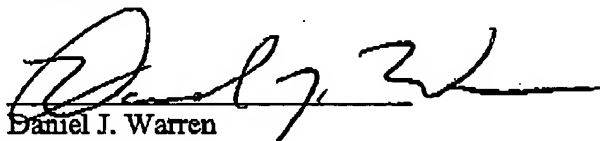
The Applicant respectfully traverses the rejection. A rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) must establish that the cited references teach each and every claim limitation. MPEP § 2143.03. In this case, Halpern does not teach a horizontal tray as is called for in independent Claim 50. Rather, Halpern merely teaches the chassis 12 – not a chassis and a tray. Unless one of the references show a tray as is called for in the claim, a *prima facie* case of obviousness has not been established.

The Applicant further notes that it does not appear that the top of the chassis 12 would even function as a workspace given its configuration and the position of the computer 22. The Applicant thus asserts that independent Claim 50, and the dependent claims thereon, are patentable over the cited art.

**CONCLUSION**

The Applicant respectfully requests the re-allowance of all claims. Any questions may be directed to the undersigned at 404.853.8028.

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